Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 PARIS 06156 021723Z ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EURE-00 PM-04 NSC-05 SP-02 SS-15 CIAE-00 DODE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 PA-01 USIA-06 PRS-01 SSC-01 /055 W

-----021724 115557 /43

P 021733Z MAR 77 FM AMEMBASSY PARIS TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 0184

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE PARIS 06156

E.O. 11652: N/A TAGS: PINT FR

SUBJECT: FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER SAUVAGNARGUES NAMED DIPLOMATIC ADVISER TO THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT

BEGIN UNCLASSIFIED

1. WEEKLY COUNCIL OF MINISTERS MEETING MARCH 2 ANNOUNCED APPOINTMENT OF FOREIGN MINISTER JEAN SAUVAGNARGUES TO THE POST OF "DIPLOMATIC COUNSELOR TO THE GOVERNMENT."

END UNCLASSIFIED

BEGIN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

2. THE POST OF DIPLOMATIC ADVISER TO THE GOVERNMENT IS NEWLY CREATED. THE TIMING IS NOT A COINCIDENCE. ALL MINISTERS OF THE GOVERNMENT WHO LOSE THEIR POSITIONS ARE ENTITLED TO SIX MONTHS OF CONTINUED MINISTERIAL SALARY AFTER LEAVING OFFICE. SAUVAGNARGUES' SALARY WAS TERMINATED FEBRUARY 28. THIS APPOINTMENT KEEPS HIM IN A RESERVE POSITION, AVAILABLE FOR SPECIAL ASSIGRMENTS, UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE PRESIDENT CHOOSES TO PLACE HIM LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 PARIS 06156 021723Z

IN A MORE PERMANENT JOB. HE WILL NOT HAVE DAY-TO-DAY RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE HANDLING OF SPECIFIC FOREIGN POLICY PROBLEMS BY THE PRESIDENT OR THE PRIME MINISTER. BUT AS A CLOSE PERSONAL FRIEND OF QUAI SECRETARY GENERAL SOUTOU, SAUVAGNARGUES IS LIKELY TO HAVE A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF INFLUENCE AT THE POLICY LEVEL. RUSH

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X

Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am Channel Indicators: n/a

Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED Concepts: PRESS COMMENTS, POLITICAL LEADERS, PERSONNEL ASSIGNMENTS

Control Number: n/a

Copy: SINGLE Sent Date: 02-Mar-1977 12:00:00 am Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am Decaption Note:

Disposition Action: RELEASED Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW

Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVII Disposition Date: 22 May 2009 Disposition Event: Disposition History: n/a Disposition Reason: Disposition Remarks: Document Number: 1977PARIS06156 Document Source: CORE Document Unique ID: 00

Document Unique ID: 00

Drafter: n/a Enclosure: n/a Executive Order: N/A Errors: N/A

Expiration:

Film Number: D770072-0046 Format: TEL

From: PARIS

Handling Restrictions: n/a

Image Path: ISecure: 1

Legacy Key: link1977/newtext/t197703101/aaaadldf.tel Line Count: 62

Litigation Code IDs: Litigation Codes:

Litigation History: Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM Message ID: d23f88ac-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc Office: ACTION EUR

Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE Original Handling Restrictions: n/a Original Previous Classification: n/a Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a

Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a

Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a

Reference: n/a Retention: 0

Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED Review Content Flags: Review Date: 30-Mar-2005 12:00:00 am

Review Event:

Review Exemptions: n/a **Review Media Identifier:** Review Release Date: n/a Review Release Event: n/a **Review Transfer Date:** Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a

SAS ID: 2939689 Secure: OPEN Status: NATIVE

Subject: FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER SAUVAGNARGUES NAMED DIPLOMATIC ADVISER TO THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT BEGIN

TAGS: PINT, FR, US, (SAUVAGNARGUES, JEAN)

To: STATE Type: TE

vdkvgwkey: odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/d23f88ac-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc

Review Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released **US** Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009

Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009